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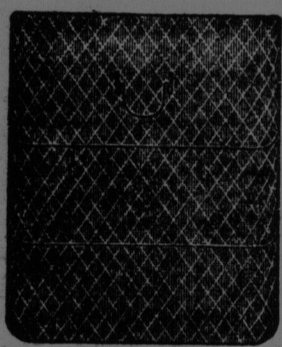
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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1910.

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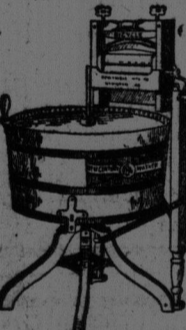
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Men's Extra Trousers

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Specially Low Prices

This is the time of year when an extra pair of Trousers come in good play. They brighten up the Coat and Vest of the Suit you have been wearing all Fall and Winter, and make your Suit presentable until time to get a new Spring outfit.

We have always planned to have a large stock ready for this demand, and this year are showing even a more complete stock than ever. It embraces very nobly new styles in the more dressy lines, and a very large variety of strong serviceable for every day wear.

If You Need Extra Trousers See This Stock Prices; \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00, 3.50, 3.75, 4.00 and 4.50 Ask to See Our Special \$2.00 Trousers

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ANOTHER ADDITION TO MOUNT ALLISON

Plans Prepared to Enlarge Centennial Hall

College Gets a Legacy of \$5000—Mill Property in Danger From Fire—Partnership Dissolved.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Jan. 10.—Further enlargement of Mount Allison University buildings is likely in the near future. At a meeting of the executive committee of the board of regents plans were presented for enlargement of Centennial Hall. These plans are now under consideration and action is to be taken upon them. The estimated increase in the university attendance has rendered more space for classrooms necessary for some time now. Different ways of satisfying the need have been suggested, but the construction of the proposed new wing to the hall is one which seems almost certain to be adopted. By the will of the late A. E. Chapman of Moncton the university has been left a legacy of \$5,000. J. L. Hicks' mill property at Cookville was in much danger from fire on Saturday. As it was, however, the fire was put out before very much loss had been caused. The fire started in the kitchen house when the building was empty. Some clothes hanging near a stove caught from the fire, and it was not long before the building took on a blazing. When the fire was seen men from the mill lost part of their clothing. Pears were felt for the mill itself, however, for some time. A business change of interest took place on Saturday when the firm of Eshbrook and Crossman, meat and provision dealers, was dissolved. Geo. P. Eshbrook retires from the firm, but the business will be continued by Mr. Martin O. Crossman, the other partner, at the same stand occupied by the firm.

TOO MANY SENSATIONS AT THE START; NOTHING TO KEEP UP INTEREST NOW

Government Leaders Find the People Giving Chief Attention to Balfour's German Scare--The Lords Have Finished a Great Campaign--Bitter Attack on Chamberlain.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—It is evident, as the end approaches, that Lloyd George and Churchill made a tactical mistake in sending off their biggest fireworks at the beginning of the campaign. Public feeling flared under the ministers' vigorous flaying of the dukes and landholders, but after four weeks of this kind of thing the public appetite shows signs of satiety. It is now of tariffs and navies and bread and butter politics that both sides have to talk. If the ruse against the Peers had been reserved for this final week things might have been very different. As it is the Peers have had time to carry through a personal campaign unique in British politics under the direction of Lord Hilditch who possesses the inherited organizing faculties of his forbears. Allsorts, the great brewers of Burton-on-Trent, two hundred and fifty-seven meetings have been held in less than four weeks in all parts of England. Forty-two went on tour, among the most energetic being the Premier and Catholic Duke of Norfolk, Lords Dunsborough, Willoughby, Northcote, who is Mount Stephen's son-in-law, Middleton, who was formerly Bradford, the war secretary, Milner, Lansdowne, Curzon and Desborough. The Radical press by reporting every interruption tried to give the impression that the meetings were rowdy but official reports received at headquarters, show that most of these Peers' meetings were large and enthusiastic, and prove as did the South African war, what stiff fighting stuff there is in the best of the Peers when their backs are really against the wall. A Canadian friend who has just returned from Falmouth where Lloyd George speaks tonight, brings a graphic story of Lloyd George's difficulties when he started this bread and butter aspect politics. Some two thousand granite workers, most of whom are traditionally non-conformists and Radical, are incensed because the ministry, regardless of unemployment here has given to Norway a contract for granite for the new naval harbor at Rosyth. Their indignation compelled the police to advise Lloyd George to abandon the great Radical torchlight procession from Penryn to Falmouth on Saturday. Local bands came to disperse while the affair became a fiasco. The ministers' train stopped at Penryn, but when it was seen that Lloyd George did not alight there were loud cries of "forward, forward." Arriving at Falmouth Lloyd George instead of finding the station crowded with admirers, saw little but the policemen. At Falmouth all gates and other means of access to the station were closed. When Lloyd George stepped from his compartment his arms were immediately linked in (Continued on page 7.)

MISSING MAN FOUND

FROZEN TO DEATH

Stoney Beach Resident Lost for Five Days

Brandon Citizen Killed While Stopping a Runaway—Engineer and Inventor Meet Accidental Deaths.

ROSTHERN, Sask., Jan. 10.—A search party headed by William Doyle of Stoney Beach, nephew of Patrick Doyle, who has been missing since Friday, found the body of the unfortunate man five miles from town. Doyle evidently had lost his way and frozen to death.

MILTON, NAPANEE, Ont., Jan. 10.—Milton Henderson, 17 years of age, dropped dead Saturday while skating on the river. Mrs. Daniel McKee of Lonsdale, who had driven into town on pleasure, was taken suddenly ill Saturday and died within a few minutes.

ACTION OF DONALDSON LINE APPRECIATED

Letter From Yarmouth Shipping Master Reflects Sentiment of Community With Regard to Care of Hestia Veilms

The opinion generally held throughout Yarmouth with regard to the very generous and thoughtful conduct of the representatives of the Donaldson Line at the time of the Hestia disaster, is well expressed in the following letter recently received by H. C. Schofield, local agent of The Robert Bedford Co., Ltd.

Shipping Office, Yarmouth, N. B., 4th January, 1910. Messrs. Robert Bedford Co., Ltd., Agents Donaldson Line, St. John, N. B. Gentlemen:— It has been my purpose for some time to express to you as agents of the Donaldson Line, my appreciation of the noble and generous manner in which you have dealt in burying the bodies of the unfortunate crew and passengers of wrecked S. S. "Hestia," who were cast up on our shores.

SYNDICATE EXISTS IN WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

Grand Jury Asked to Indict Several Persons Who are Said to be Leaders in the Business.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—In the grand jury room today District Attorney Whitman asked the investigators of the "white slave" traffic to find indictments against certain individuals who he is satisfied are leaders in the business.

COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS AT SYDNEY IS DEAD

Everything Quiet at the Galleries Today—Seven Hundred Pickets on Duty.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 10.—Everything was quiet about the galleries this morning, although a large number of pickets were on the rounds. It is estimated that there were seven hundred strikers on picket duty today, the largest number for a long time.

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 10.—State Treasurer-elect J. A. Stober was found dead in bed this morning at his home at Schoenick, in the northern part of this county. He was elected state treasurer last November and was to have taken office in May.

BIG FIGHT COMING OVER OCEAN FREIGHTS

Shippers to Send a Strong Delegation to Ottawa

Steamship Men Certain of Victory—Say it is Only the Passenger Traffic That Keeps the Boats Out of Obl.

MONTREAL, Q., Jan. 10.—The question of freight rates increase is stirring the trade world here to the depths. The importers are sending the strongest delegation to Ottawa on Thursday that they can get together. The shipping people say that their situation is secure and that they have right on their side. The latest is a cable from G. M. Bosworth, fourth vice-president of the Canadian Pacific, who arrived in Liverpool Saturday. He is here to attend a meeting of the North Atlantic west-bound freight conference. He gave an interview in London, saying that if it were not for the passenger business the Atlantic lines would be in the receiver's hands. He denied that to increase the rates would be to counteract the Canadian preference to Britain.

HOSPITAL PROMOTERS REFUSE CITY'S GRANT

Citizens Decline to Accept Small Amount Voted

Council Has Failed in an Emergency—Should Pay all the Bills or None—Rev. W. D. Reid's Success.

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—The finance committee of the typical emergency hospital has refused definitely its share of the grant of the city of \$15,000 towards lighting typhoid. The city decided that it would pay one dollar a day per patient. This, declares the committee, is entirely inadequate, as even the old establishments find the care of patients run over \$2.50 a day while the initial expense of the emergency hospital is heavy, which would make the cost per patient very much higher. The committee holds that it was the work of the city in the first place and they should have paid the whole cost. But it held back till forced by public opinion and then came forward with a paltry fifteen thousand which is to be divided among half a dozen hospitals. They refused the grant and ask for a grant in proportion to the work which is being done. The funds of the hospital now amount to over fifty thousand dollars.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN ITALIAN DISTRICT

Murderer Was Himself Slain by Unknown One—Of the Dead Had Used the Knife Before.

DAYTON, O., Jan. 10.—Dominick Alilo, prominent among the Italian colony here, was shot dead last night in a quarrel with her husband. Alilo, who was killed by a man whose name she refused to give, was found lying on the ground with a bullet wound in her forehead. Her husband, who was also killed, was found lying on the ground with a bullet wound in his chest. The police are now trying to learn from the woman if Rezzo was in any way associated with Vellelo, but Mrs. Alilo refused to make a statement that might clear up the mystery.

THIS BUNCH OF BANANAS LIKELY TO BE HUNG UP

Forteen Gentlemen From Sicily on Trial for Conducting Blackhand Operations.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10.—The case against fourteen Sicilians, members of the Society of the Bananas, alleged black-hand band of Ohio, was called for trial in the federal court today. With a small army of witnesses, meaning letters, and a mass of documentary evidence seized in the homes of the defendant raided last June by postal inspectors, the government expects to prove that the allied headquarters of the band in Marion, Ohio, were a centre of widespread black-hand operations. Twenty lawyers are engaged in the defense. The indictment contains 15 counts, alleging attempts to extort money from as many Italians by means of threatening letters.

SISTERS OF CHARITY FACE A HARD JOURNEY

Will Cross the Wintry Plains to Northern Mission

Galt Upsal by a Plague of Mad Dogs—Subscription Taken for Mrs. Scott's Defence on Murder Charge.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—Six devoted sisters of Grey Nuns from Montreal passed through Winnipeg on their way to Lelo LaCrosse mission in the northern wilds. To reach their destination the sisters will have to travel over snow and ice covered rivers and after a few nights, being beyond the pale of civilization, must sleep in the open.

HALLEY'S COMET HAS A VERY SHORT TAIL

Slings Up at an Angle of 69 Degrees—Comet May be Faintly Seen Now in the Western Sk.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 10.—A straight and slender tail has been discovered behind the nucleus of Halley's comet, according to a despatch received at the Harvard Observatory today from Prof. E. B. Frost of the Yerkes Observatory. The tail is a faint one as yet, about ten miles in length and has an angle of 69 degrees. Halley's comet may now be seen through small telescopes like faint nebulae. The tail, however, is too faint to be caught by anything except a highly sensitized photographic plate. The comet is in the western sky in the early evening, but later in the week the moon will become too bright to permit a sight of the celestial visitor.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. MONDAY, JANUARY 10 1910

NEWS OF SPORT

HOCKEY MATCH ENDS IN A SCORE OF 4 TO 2

Bank of New Brunswick Defeats Royal Bank of Canada—Game a Fast One.

The hockey teams representing the Bank of New Brunswick and the Royal Bank played at the Queen's Rink on Saturday night. The result was a victory for the Bank of New Brunswick by the score of 4 to 2.

SQUAD COACHES AT HARVARD

System to be Undertaken Because of Queen's Illness—Names of the Coaches.

The candidates for the field events and the hurdles at Harvard will be in charge for a time of variety veterans. Because Billy Quinn, the trainer who usually handles these events, is ill in this city, Capt. Little will look after the shotput and broad jumpers.

ROWDYISM ON THE ICE AT AMHERST

AMHERST, N. S., Jan. 8.—The first game of the Cumberland County Hockey League series was played here Saturday night between the Regals and Intermediate Ramblers, both Amherst teams. Both teams showed up well but the game was marred by slashing, tripping and scrambling. Late in the first period, the Ramblers acted so badly that the Regals were forced to play behind their goal.

TRI-STATE CLUBS TO START FIGHT MAY 4

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 5.—The seventh season of the Tri-state will start on May 4. This was determined tonight at the annual meeting of the Tri-state League held at the Hotel Wheatland.

DAHLEN GIVES LISTS OF BROOKLYN PLAYERS

A Large Number Will Go to Hot Springs for Preliminary Training—Shaw is a Good Hitter.

Manager Dahlen of the Brooklyn team said Saturday that these players would be taken to Hot Springs for preliminary training. The list of players is: Bell, Dessau, Hunter, McIntire, Rucker, Scanlon, Schelsberg, Wilhelm, Dent and Fletcher.

MARSH ROAD THROGGED WITH FLYERS YESTERDAY

Nearly all the Fast Horses in the City Were Out.

Pretty nearly all the fast horses in the city were out on the Marsh road on Sunday and there were many lively brushes among them during the afternoon.

THISTLES AFFILIATED WITH ROYAL CALEDONIANS

Gives Local Club Privilege of Seeding Full Rink to Scotland—A Big Organization.

The Thistle Curling Club has received notice that they have been affiliated with the Royal Caledonian Curling Club of Scotland, and the home team will now be entitled to seed a full rink to Scotland with any Canadian team that goes over there.

BOWLING

Table with columns for names and scores in bowling.

OLDPIEDS NEW RECORDS FOR 2, 3, 4 and 5 MILES.

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FAST SKATING IS EXPECTED WEDNESDAY

N. B. Championships Under Auspices of La Tour Rowing Club.

There will be some good skating at the Victoria Rink on Wednesday night when the city championships are to be held under the auspices of the La Tour Rowing Club.

OFFERS TO BET \$5,000 EVEN ON JEFFRIES

R. P. Murphy on End of California Pugilist, but Johnson's Backers are Seeking Odd Jobs.

Clashes between the getting factions of New York began Wednesday when R. P. Murphy and Johnson's backers were discussing in Broadway.

TO OURN A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure you.

FIGHT SCENE WILL BE ANNOUNCED JAN. 15

Tex Rickard Gives Salt Lake City Until Saturday to Decide Whether or Not it Wants Bout.

Along about Jan. 15 it will be definitely settled whether that big fight between Tex Rickard and Johnny Mack Brown will be held.

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POPE RECOGNIZES LEOPOLD'S CHILDREN

Raw Pork Sausage Fatal to Two Families.

Ragman Leaves Fortune of \$60,000—Shackleton Announces Decision—Policy of New Forestry Chief.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 9.—The Pope today says that following the official announcement of the marriage of the late King Leopold and the Baroness Vaughan the Pope sent his condolences and benediction to the children of the Princess.

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YOUTHFUL CONVICTS MAKE BOLD GET AWAY

Mulcahey and McRae Escape From Reformatory in Daring Manner.

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HUNDREDS EXPOSED TO SMALLPOX GERMS

Falling Girder Killed Workman—Held Up by Highwayman—Killed His Family, Then Himself.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Jan. 8.—Mrs. B. F. Kroeger is dead and nine members of the families of B. F. Kroeger and C. D. Calk, farmers near here, are ill from trichina poisoning.

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121 Prince William St., corner Duke St.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES IN INTER-SOCIETY LEAGUE

St. John the Baptist and the A. O. He will meet this evening in the Inter-Society Bowling League.

MONJON MAN HERE

John Brown of Moncton reached the city on Saturday afternoon in quest of his wife, who had left her home several days ago.

AFTER ERRING WIFE

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**ST. JOHN STAR.**  
ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 10, 1910.  
AMATEUR SPORT.

The evidence given in that hockey dispute at Fredericton is interesting only in its detail. It reveals nothing not hitherto generally known with regard to the manner in which those amateur players are engaged under regular contracts and at fixed salaries. What has been told of Fredericton is equally true of every other senior hockey team in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. Moreover, this has been known all along to the organization which has pretended to govern amateur sport. The extent to which professional players have been engaged and the amounts paid them in salaries, have been limited only by the finances of the interested clubs. Every one has known this to be true, but the parties most closely concerned have frequently given out false statements when questioned, and as the M. P. A. A. is not a body having authority to conduct investigations under oath it has had to be satisfied with the answers of managers and others supposed to be honorable. Naturally the inference is that some men who profess to be interested in amateur sport for its sake are sufficiently unscrupulous to conduct their affairs dishonestly and in absolute disregard of the regulations which they pretend to uphold.

It should not be supposed that every senior hockey player in the province is on salary, or that each man plays for a share of the receipts; it is not the case that all members of baseball teams receive money, even though some of them may properly be classed as professionals. There are many amateur athletes, who participate in the popular sports for love of the game. Numbers of these men can find proper opportunity for the exercise of their skill only in teams in which players are present. It is unfair to shut them out from their proper class because of the presence of these professionals. It is equally unfair to classify as amateurs, men who are known to be in receipt of regular salary.

But the disclosure at Fredericton serves to show the deplorable state of amateur sport in these provinces. Apparently the distinction between those who receive payment and those who do not, is that the ones in the first named class need the money. This question of their standing has nothing to do with the game.

Meanwhile several of St. John's best athletes are suffering under a farcical suspension. They are men who have never taken a cent for their services, but who have engaged in athletics in company with members of teams who acknowledge their professionalism instead of denying it as so many "amateurs" have done.

others it has not been materially changed. During the whole course of the fight, the various issues, previously in hopeless confusion, changed almost from day to day, leaving the confusion worse at the end than at the beginning, and whatever may be the result of the polling, it cannot be regarded as the decision of the people on any one point.

Harvard has turned out four graduates between the ages of eleven and fifteen. In five years more these prodigies will be behind boys of their own years. Infant wonders have a painful habit of disappointing their proud parents.

Michael F. Dooley believes Irishmen are so numerous in New England that the Eastern States might more properly be called New Ireland. This should be followed by changing the name of New York to New Jerusalem.

Boy in Pittsburg, undergoing an operation, coughed up a needle. Lucky boy. Most people have to cough up several hundred dollars.

"Millionaire's daughter is chauffeur's wife." "Heiress slopes with a waiter." "Daughter of steel king weds father's coachman."—Is it the millenium?

So General Booth has become a prophet foreseeing an early destruction of this wicked world. Well, at any rate, the General has done his best to stave off the evil day.

Three hundred went to the newly discovered Porcupine gold fields on Saturday. That means about as many wild-cat schemes let loose on a trusting public within the next six months or so.

No wonder the United States government finds trouble in convicting corporations of dishonesty when its own officers are prosecuted for acquiring information from each other.

With Prof. Jenks' ability and Rockefeller's money there should be something effective in the newly organized campaign against the white slave traffic.

NEARING A CLOSE.  
Britain's parliament was formally dissolved today and writs issued for a general election. By the end of the present week polling will have been completed in a sufficient number of constituencies to indicate the probable outcome of the contest. The campaign from an oratorical standpoint has been a strenuous one, and has been marked by several features, gratifying and otherwise, not hitherto found in British politics. Many members of the House of Lords have gone on a stump, and by mixing with the people, have done much to overcome their rather unfavorable opinion developed towards them as the result of remarks on the part of government leaders. On the other hand the campaign has developed the habit of personal invective and abuse, and has robbed British political life of much of its dignity.

There have been several sensations during the past few weeks. Among these have been the Home Rule announcement, the charge that the Chamberlain letters are not genuine, and lastly the introduction of the navy question, by Balfour. This German scare, has, it is said, become the dominant issue during the past few days, and while there may be some sound reason for Balfour's attack it may be believed that his adoption of Hatchford is largely a political dodge. He realizes the inflammability of British sentiment and knows that nothing can create such intense excitement as the possibility of trouble with Germany.

## The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON  
Are you going shopping tomorrow? If not, you are surely going the day after or the day after that, for this is the month in which, if you are an average woman, you will go bargain mad.

## The Lighter Side of Life

EXEMPLARY.  
Freddie had been spending the day with his aunt and had been duly instructed beforehand as to his behavior. Upon his return his mother questioned his conduct and he said he had done as well as he could. His mother seemed to have been most exemplary in every way.

## ST. JOHN IS GOING AHEAD.

The Sun and Star want to help it grow.  
Do you?  
Will you lend a hand for a boost?  
We want a slogan, a phrase of progress, a battery — call it what you will.  
Something that will boil the gospel of go-ahead down to half a dozen words in a sentence that will hit home like a hammer blow.

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Other lines, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00—sizes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.  
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**FRANK E. PORTER, PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST, Union and St. Patrick Sts.**

### SUSPENSIONS FOLLOW RECENT INVESTIGATION

Officials of Indian Service Have Been Neglecting Duty While Attending to Private Interests.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—As a result of the investigation which has been carried on for some time past and which will be continued until the Indian service may suffer a fate like that of Superintendent Benedict and the line school at Muskogee, the investigation, which resulted in today's action, was entered into because of charges reaching the department here, charging the officials already suspended, as well as others, with neglecting their duties.

### Great Sale of All-Wool and Union Blankets at M.R.A.'s

A Mid-Winter Clearance of nice warm, durable Blankets and an unprecedented sale of all-wool and union blankets at M.R.A.'s.

### LIFE SAVING SERVICE NEEDS REORGANIZING

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 9.—Plans to re-organize the life saving service of the United States and increase its efficiency are advocated in a pamphlet which New England coast guards have sent to senators and congressmen, representing states bordering on the sea and great lakes. The pamphlet states that in the life saving service there are no inducements offered for recruits, no rewards for the veterans and practically no relief provided for those disabled as the result of duty.

## A COLUMN FOR WOMEN

### Household Hints

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BATH, Me., Jan. 8.—The five-masted schooner Grace A. Martin, Captain Dec. 24 for Newport News and was one of the fleet of missing schooners from hundreds of miles off shore in the storm two weeks ago, arrived at Norfolk today. Word to that effect was received by Percy and Small, builders and owners.

### VILLAGE DOOMED TO SLOW DESTRUCTION

PARMA, Italy, Jan. 9.—On the hills between Parma and Piacenza, which are about thirty-six miles apart, an immense landslide is slowly moving. It is two miles in length, half a mile in width and its depth is estimated at 75 feet. On the top of the slide is the village of Scopello, recently occupied by a thousand people. It is doomed to destruction and the inhabitants have evacuated the village, transporting their valuables and the furnishings and altars of their church to safer ground.

### HEALERS FACE A CHARGE OF MURDER

ROCKFORD, Me., Jan. 9.—Fred James, who was indicted yesterday by the Knox county grand jury at Rockland on the charge of murder of his nine year old daughter, Agnes, at Thomaston, by poisoning on November 24, was arrested here today by Deputy Sheriff A. C. Bucklin.

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### MARRIAGES

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### PENNYPACKER OUT FOR WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE

Ex-Governor Thinks They are Capable of Conducting Public Affairs.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—Ex-Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker has come out fairly and squarely for votes for women, and has, by signing the petition for equal suffrage, to be presented to Congress, announced himself as an ally of the suffragettes.

In an interview yesterday Mr. Pennypacker reaffirmed his stand for the women, and gallantly declared that if they want to vote, he believes they should be allowed to have the right of suffrage.

He cited instances to prove that the sex, which most men regard as fair and flighty, is not only capable of self-government, but also of controlling the destinies and interests of men. He said that Queen Elizabeth was a good example of what a woman can do when she gets a chance to rule men, and in a more modern and modest way he declared that hundreds of business women, clerks, stenographers and the like are proving their ability to master the detail of business and show themselves of equal caliber with men.

**SAYS MEN NOT SUPERIOR.**

He scouted the old fogy idea that men are women's superiors, and said that in the logical sequence of events more legal rights and political powers must accrue to the sex, which is yearly growing stronger in its influence.

"If women desire the right of suffrage," the former Governor said, "I personally am entirely willing that the right should be given to them. They have proved by their public work that they are capable of carrying things to a logical and satisfactory conclusion. There is no reason to believe they would be unsuccessful in politics or public life."

"We have gradually in our legislation changed our attitude toward woman. The time has passed when she was regarded as entirely subordinate and within the control of her husband, both as to her personal conduct and her property."

**WOMAN EMANCIPATED.**

"The legislation of late years has extended her control and taken the power of management away from her husband. It would seem to be the necessary consequence, if she is to exercise this increased control of herself and her property, that she should be permitted to participate in the legislation which regulates it. If she is herself desirous of this power, it should be given to her."

Then the ex-Governor, who is famous for his historical research, cited the

### THOSE FRIGHTFUL BANQUETS; WHAT MUST BE DONE

To the Editor of the Montreal Standard:

Sir—May I call the attention of your enterprising and progressive paper to the urgent need Canada has of returning the system or rubric which should govern a well-ordered banquet?

Dinner of importance in this country has become an unmitigated nuisance to those who attend them, and a very serious inconvenience to such as are obliged to be present. The cause of this well-known state of affairs was not in the wild excesses which have been resorted to. The cause of this is that generally very good; the hall reserved for the guests is brightly and well decorated, the service is excellent. Music is pleasing and singing quite first class. The horrors which result from the whole affair, make it a performance which people are anxious to get away from (unless they can) result from a mode, now consecrated by usage, of carrying the thing through, which, by common admission, has made this delightful form of conviviality and association a bore and a burden which will soon become unbearable.

Half the pleasure of a dinner lies in being served in the appointed hour. It is such is the rule in all civilized communities, and there are many excellent reasons for it.

Guests meet promptly and cannot decently run the risk of being late for a meal, whatever the custom which prescribes which their experience may suggest.

After the first greetings and exchange of compliments, every one is anxious to be seated and break bread with friends. The custom which has come to prevail here of delaying half an hour or an hour, or even more, is a source of irritation and distress to all the guests in a nervous and tired condition, or even worse. Thus the first impression, which is the most important, is a nervous and tired condition, or even worse. Thus the first impression, which is the most important, is a nervous and tired condition, or even worse. Thus the first impression, which is the most important, is a nervous and tired condition, or even worse.

ending any fatigue. Such dinners are eagerly sought for; they rest and restore; friendships are maintained and strengthened, and in them are renewed the best and more elevating social elements of our complex human life.

DESPAIR.

### Why Does Not The Stomach Digest Itself?

An Unsolvable Problem Which Has Puzzled Physicians of All Schools

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There seems to be no logical reason why the stomach should not digest itself when we consider the fact that it secretes digestive fluids and acids which are powerful enough to disintegrate and digest meats, eggs, fruits, cereals, vegetables and other forms of food taken into it.

It is admitted that the stomach is killed while in full digestion the stomach has undergone complete self-digestion during life. Dr. Hunter, when the body was kept warm; and in human beings who have died suddenly, while digestion was going on, was found that the stomach is not only had the stomach been digested, but also the liver, pancreas, spleen, and portions of the intestines.

The question naturally presents itself, "What protects the stomach from self-digestion during life?" Dr. Hunter declared that the "principle of life" in living things protected this organ from being digested by its own fluids. But Dr. Bernard successfully demonstrated that the hind legs of a living frog, when introduced through a fistula or artificial opening into the stomach of a dog, undergo complete digestion, and Dr. Favy, through similar experiments, found that the same was true of a rabbit's ear.

While the normal stomach is immune from self-digestion, there are many cases on record, however, in which long-standing gastritis, and perverted digestion, has completely digested or eaten away the mucous membrane lining of the stomach, and in some instances has caused a fatal peritonitis.

In all cases of perverted function of the stomach, which manifests itself by the numerous well-known symptoms of indigestion and dyspepsia, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets act as a corrective, restoring it to a normal condition, toning up the secretory glands, as well as the actual glands, which absorb the food, and preventing all possibility of such conditions arising as will cause perverted function, gastritis, gastric ulcers, or the eating away of the mucous membrane of the stomach.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are exceedingly powerful digestives, a single grain sufficient to digest 2,000 grains of food, including meats, vegetables, cereals, etc. They digest albumen and starch equally well, and whenever the stomach is in a weakened condition, and so lacking in tone, that it furnishes an insufficient amount of gastric juice, such symptoms as heartburn, biliousness, headache, belching of gas and sour eructations are overcome and done away with generally.

Such symptoms can, however, be overcome and done away with generally. Simply take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and forget all about your digestive troubles. They do their work promptly and thoroughly, every particle of food being completely digested, and fermentation, decomposition, and flatulence and heaviness in stomach after eating, relieved and cured. Purchase a box from your druggist today, price 50 cents. Also send your name and address for free sample. Address: P. A. Stuart & Co., 110 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

### COOK GAVE BOGUS CHEQUE WHEN IN GREENLAND

His Name Wiped Off Arctic Club Roll—Reported Nervous Wreck.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 8.—Ex-Governor Muller, of Greenland, tells today this astonishing story. In 1894 Dr. Cook's Arctic expedition on the steamer Miranda was stranded in Greenland and Governor Muller offered Dr. Cook assistance to continue the voyage, and invited him to the Governor's residence. At the house Cook noticed two elder Dutch rug and wanted to buy them. The Governor reluctantly acceded, and Cook wrote a cheque for \$500.

The cheque was returned indorsed "no account." Then the Governor tried to collect the amount of the cheque through the Danish Consular agent in New York. At first Cook refused to acknowledge the claim, but ultimately paid one-third of the amount. When Cook landed at Copenhagen last August, Governor Muller, who was staying in Sweden, telegraphed the Danish Foreign Ministry and also the Danish Consul, Welman, informing them of Cook's previous dealings and advising caution.

### SLAVE DEALERS TO TELL TRAFFIC SECRETS

Men Who Know All About the Trade in Girls Will Appear Before Grand Jury

Deceives in Governmental Employment as Obscure Find Points of Distribution for the Unfortunates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Amazed at the startling evidence gathered during the last year by secret agents of the government and reform organizations, who have investigated the wide slave traffic in New York city, District Attorney Whitman and Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., foreman of the grand jury, are determined to continue the present inquiry until the leaders of the two syndicates—if corroborative evidence of an organized traffic can be obtained—are behind prison bars.

For more than an hour yesterday Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Whitman and Assistant District Attorney Appleton were determined to continue the present inquiry until the leaders of the two syndicates—if corroborative evidence of an organized traffic can be obtained—are behind prison bars.

The most effective manner of continuing the important inquiry, while each declined to discuss the conclusion reached, it is believed that, with the evidence now at hand, they are convinced of the existence of the two syndicates.

When seen later in the day, Mr. Rockefeller in the precincts where clearing houses and "white slave dens" are said to be doing business, assured Mr. Turner of their willingness to co-operate with the grand jury in stamping out the traffic in girls in this city.

### SYNDICATE CLEARING HOUSES.

A feature of the day's development was the verification of the reports of the secret service agents that scores of clearing houses are maintained by the New York Independent Benevolent Association and the French Procureur's Club, and that from these dens girls are sent to exclusive flats in New York in the uptown section, to other cities in the United States, in Panama, Central and South America, these girls, it was also learned, are for the most part recruited by cadets in moving picture theatres and dancing halls in New York city.

There is every reason to believe that all the resources of the federal government will be available to the New York authorities in investigating and breaking up the traffic. Representative Olcott came from Washington yesterday to confer with Mr. Whitman and there is reason to believe that he brought assurances from President Taft that the federal government stands ready to give its active co-operation to the grand jury in arresting the facts, and in punishing the guilty.

Those acquainted with the nature of the evidence given by the two witnesses who have been called by the grand jury believe indictments will be returned against the clearing houses which will lead to the arrest of some of the most influential leaders of the two syndicates.

Those who for years have been engaged in the traffic are known to be thoroughly frightened by the interest Mr. Rockefeller and Mr. Whitman are taking in the investigation. Many have left the city, while others have moved from their regular haunts and are hiding.

### WILL TELL SECRETS.

It is known that active members of the two syndicates, who have just been brought before the grand jury, have signified a willingness to appear as witnesses and tell the truth about the clearing house business. Through these men and women government agents and investigators representing reform organizations have already found at least twenty of the clearing houses operated by the syndicates.

"I will do everything that is within my power to assist," was the declaration of Mr. Rockefeller in talking yesterday afternoon with Mr. Whitman. So impressed is Mr. Rockefeller with the importance of the inquiry that he assured Mr. Whitman he and his colleagues on the grand jury would continue the task to the end, whether it was completed within the present month or should force the twenty-three men to sit for a month or more longer.

Mr. Rockefeller visited the District

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### Attorney after the morning session of the Grand Jury. Long before this, however, Mr. Whitman had received as a visitor Mr. George Kibbe Turner, the author of a magazine article, which, appearing some months ago, was taken as charging that some political cognizance of the methods of the men who made victims and slaves of the women. Mr. Appleton, who is to be in charge of the investigation, was summoned by Mr. Whitman, and for more than an hour the three men were in earnest consultation.

The trio was together when Mr. Rockefeller appeared and was admitted without delay. Then the four continued the conference. While all the participants were inclined to keep secret the attitude of each, it was said Mr. Turner, although disposed to guarantee the truth of every word he had written, made it plain he could produce no proof that there was any organization, political or otherwise, that, as such, had any official control, or even knowledge, of such a traffic.

**MR. ROCKEFELLER'S PROMISE.**

He was questioned at length by Mr. Whitman and Mr. Appleton, who previously had examined him, and then Mr. Rockefeller became the questioner. Then it was that Mr. Rockefeller made the remark quoted.

"I am in this matter heart and soul," he is reported to have added, "and we must get at the bottom rock of it all. We must and all this talk, one way or another, before we drop the subject."

When seen later in the day, Mr. Whitman said there was little he could tell about the conference, except that it outlined a plan for the work of the Grand Jury, which will begin next Monday. He expected to have Mr. Turner before the Grand Jury then, and he also hoped to have Professor Jenks, of Cornell University, on hand at the same time. Whitman said that he had no further talk with the strange woman who visited him on Wednesday, and whose statement concerning the traffic in girls, was taken down by a stenographer.

Two weeks ago a woman who conducted a disreputable house in Forty-fifth street, near Sixth avenue, visited a clearing house in 103d street, where she had been lured from an east side moving picture theatre.

These three girls, according to evidence gathered by special investigators, came from poor but respectable families. The manager of the clearing house demanded his commission from the keeper of the disreputable house, who, in turn, will deduct the amount from the net earnings of the girls.

### GIRLS SENT ABOARD.

This same clearing house, in which two men and one woman are interested, is said to have supplied scores of young girls to keepers of disreputable houses in the Northwest and to resorts in Panama and the Argentine Republic. The manager of the clearing house only recently returned from Panama with a woman who says she is his wife. This woman is now being held conducting disreputable house in Ninth street, near Seventh avenue.

There is another clearing house, according to the special investigators, in Eldridge street, near Houston street, conducted by a woman, who is a member of the Independent Benevolent Association. Girls are recruited by young cadets with a special view to beauty. Few of these girls are sent outside New York. They are supplied to women who conduct exclusive flats in the uptown section, or to the places known as "cab flats," where persons gain admittance only through letters of introduction. Several of the girls from the Eldridge street house are said to have been sent to Paterson during the last few months.

**GIVES IMMIGRANTS.**

In Third street, near avenue C, a member of the benevolent association has cadets stationed at a dance hall

### FORGOTTEN IN JAIL, MAN FINAL- LY FREED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 8.—Lost in jail today by the Marion county grand jury and set free. Forgotten by his acquaintances and overlooked by busy officers, he had been behind the bars for 104 days, without a chance to defend himself against the charge of having stolen a sack of potatoes.

Mulson, one evening last fall, while crossing a neighbor's potato lot, was stopped by two men, who charged him with having stolen a sack of potatoes.

A justice of the peace at Broad Ripple summarily bound Mulson over to a grand jury on a charge of grand larceny, placing a value of at least \$25 on the sack of potatoes.

Mulson said he had never seen the potatoes, but he was taken to the jail at Indianapolis, and the aquire did not advise the county prosecutor.

### OAK HALL'S Annual Mid-Winter Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings

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Give two men the same materials—wood, stone, iron, cloth, paint or what not. One turns out a thing of beauty; the other a botch.

Cloth comes to us as to others. But it goes to our patrons in suits and overcoats, plus our ideas and designing, our workmanship and finish, our individuality, our style!

This—coupled with the fact that as manufacturers we sell to you direct—is why our clothes have the preference of discriminating men.

Now the time has come to let go—and the same excellence, the same strong value, is to be yours at a big price discount!

Everything you may need in clothing or furnishings for yourself or boy is to be reduced—our entire stock.

See papers tomorrow and following days for details.

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### SEEK TO RECLAIM THE "REGULARS"

#### Society for the Reformation of Inebriates

Prof. George M. Wrong at Head of Organization Which Proposes a More Intelligent System.

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Professor George M. Wrong, president of the Society for the Reformation of Inebriates, has issued the following statement of the two aims of the organization:

1st. For some years, in a quiet way, it has been trying to reclaim the unfortunate drunkards in the police court for drunkenness. Daily at the City Hall the society has in attendance a physician and two other officers who go among these prisoners and try to reach those ready to be aided by the society.

The drink habit is accompanied by diseased nervous system, and what many of these people need is medical treatment. The physician in attendance gives this to those found willing to accept it, and in some cases the society bears the expense of keeping in the hospital, for a time, inebriates who must receive such treatment if they are to have any chance in life. The results from such methods have been most encouraging.

2nd. The second great aim of the society is to reform completely the present mode of dealing with inebriates committed to jail. Toronto needs badly what a good many cities both in Great Britain and the United States now have, a farm outside the city, to which inebriates charged with drunkenness can be sent, to be kept at wholesome labor, if possible out of doors, for a time long enough to give many months in some cases, no doubt—to permit their whole system to get into healthy condition. To send such persons repeatedly for short terms to jail is to give them no real chance. They should be treated as diseased persons, and kept long enough to become healthy in mind and body.

It is obvious that the society has an extensive work on hand. It has further aims, among others the securing of a hospital where inebriates may be treated under favorable conditions, existing hospitals make but slight provision for such a class of patients. But the two aims outlined above are the chief ones before the society for the moment.

To carry on its work it requires funds, and donors are urged to aid efforts that, if pressed forward, will bring new hope and self-respect to many lives. Any sum will be welcomed. If only one dollar can be sent, it will be gladly received. It is hoped that some donors able to do so, will aid this hard pressed work generously.

### COUNTRY GIRL TELLS OF LIFE WITH PARSON.

Abductee

OTTAWA, Kan., Jan. 8.—When she resumed her testimony today, Lorena Sutherland, a young country girl, told the jury that it is trying the Rev. Isaac M. Stuckey for her abduction of her joy in living in the big "gay city of Chicago."

"Everything was so strange, so big," she said.

All of Stuckey's courtship, said the witness, was carried on by means of notes and love letters. This, it appears, was continued even while the two were in jail, at Waukegan, Ill. There she had, she testified, sent her a note, reading:

"Dear Girl—Your papa and mamma are coming for you. Only Sister Lettine will take us home. I still love you. Little sweet heart, and when I get back home I will get a divorce from my cross wife. I may have to go to jail for forty or fifty days, but when I get out we will get married, and go back to Waukegan to live. Remember, if you love me, tell the sheriff what I told you in Chicago, that you cannot return postage." Who will send you a trial box of Zam-Buk free!

### What Followed a Scratch.

Mrs. Brown, 7 Calumet Ave., Montreal, says: "While busy in the kitchen one day the oven door fell off, striking my right leg and inflicting a nasty scratch. While this was painful, I never thought it would become a serious wound, but to my surprise it became very much inflamed and very painful. I found that the dye from my stocking had got into it and I was very sore. I had it washed with Zam-Buk and within a few days the wound was quite healed."

### Eczema Banished.

To be covered with sores which sometimes itch and burn and then, when rubbed, cause acute agony—sores which refuse to heal, as well as cause pain—these which have defied all remedies—could be worse? Yes, this is the lot of scores of people to-day who suffer from eczema. But now you can be cured. Write us, sending 10c stamp to pay return postage. Mr. Wm. Dangerfield, 608 Lipton St., Winnipeg, says: "Last winter I suffered from eczema. After trying lotions, salves and powders given me by the doctor, which failed to do me any good, I tried Zam-Buk. This proved equal to my case and cured me."

### Use as a Household Balm.

Mrs. W. Blair, 91 St. Catherine St., Hamilton, speaks of the value of Zam-Buk as a household balm. She says: "I one day slipped and fell against a Morris rock, knocking my knee very hard. The knee turned black and blue and was very painful. I rubbed Zam-Buk well into the injured member and it was indeed surprising how quickly I found relief. The swelling was soon reduced and pain and discoloration banished. By perseverance with Zam-Buk my injured knee was well again in a couple of days."

"I have since proved it to be the handsomest and best balm for household purposes. A few applications of Zam-Buk gave me ease from rheumatism also."

### GAINS SECRETS OF BLACK HAND BAND

Deceive, as Fellow Prisoner, Wins the Confidence of Accused Albany Murderer.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 8.—The Family of the Dead Bodies is the Albany branch of the Black Hand Society, by whose orders George B. Phelps, a rent collector, was murdered a few months ago, according to the testimony today of Michael Bernabe, a New York detective.

Dominick Ferrar, charged with the murder, is on trial in the Supreme Court. Bernabe's testimony is based on what he alleges Ferrar told him while he was a fellow prisoner in the Albany county jail. The detective had complaint of him on his arrival from New York on December 2 in accordance with the plan arranged by the District Attorney and Sheriff of Albany county, arranged before the police magistrate and committed to jail until December 22. He was given a berth with Ferrar and Vincent Leonard, who is also charged with the Phelps murder.

Bernabe said that Ferrar had told him the secrets of the society, the password of which is "Famel Murtobona," which, translated into English, means, "Family of Dead Bodies."

Bernabe told the jury that Ferrar had confessed to having been elected to co-operate with Leonard in taking the life of the rent collector. The victim was supposed to be an "American with much money."

Then, according to Bernabe, Ferrar went on to tell the secrets of the Black Hand in this way:

"When anybody is to be initiated we bring him into the hall in which the society meets to see if he is courageous, not, and to find out if he will be true to the society. We make him swear that he will be true. We must stand with his face toward three knives and the leader says, 'I make you swear on the three knives and three chevaliers and death.' When a member makes any money, whether it is \$200 or \$1,000, or any amount, he must not keep one cent of it, but must give it to the society.

"If any member of the society kills any one, or robs any one, or writes a threatening letter or even robs a child, the society will look after him. A member of the society is forced to give all his money, even the last cent he has, to the society to help those who are arrested."

### HOW PLUNDER IS DIVIDED.

"\$15,000 or \$10,000 is made by the society and no one is arrested, the money is divided among the members. The members are divided into three classes. First, the pickette; second, the caporet, and third, the leaders, and the money is divided among them at the rate of \$5 to the pickette, \$10 to the caporet and \$15 to the leaders."

Bernabe said Ferrar told him that the candidate for initiation was asked to fall upon the upturned knives already spoken of. This was to test his courage and willingness to die if necessary. As the candidate falls a spring attached to the knives causes them to fly flat and the candidate receives no injury.

Touching the Phelps murder, Ferrar, according to Bernabe, said that when the victim entered Vincent Leonard's place to collect the rent the latter asked him to step into the rear room and be seated at the table. Ferrar stood behind Phelps, armed with a cane which belonged to Leonard's father. At a sign from Leonard, Ferrar struck Phelps on the head with the cane, but instead of becoming unconscious, as the assailant had intended he should, Phelps jumped to his feet and began to fight. Bernabe said that Ferrar told him Leonard then stabbed Phelps, and he (Ferrar) ran home because he was frightened.

### LATE SHIPPING.

Arrived Today, S.S. Empress of Britain, Liverpool via Halifax—C. P. R. S.S. Montcalm, Bristol—C. P. R. S.S. Salacia, Glasgow—Robertson & Co., Ltd.

### WEALTH AWAITS MAN IN WORKHOUSE

Death of Wife Who Had Left Him and Was the Cause of His Sentence Makes Him Rich.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Serving a sentence in the workhouse for attacking a man who, he said, had taken his wife into a restaurant where he was obliged to wait upon them, Frederick Milner of No. 27 East 14th street, is in ignorance that his wife was buried in St. Raymond's cemetery yesterday. Neither does he know that by her death he will share in a fortune of \$100,000 left by her father, the late Mrs. Mary Ann Kelly, keeper of the lighthouse on North Brother Island, known as the "Mary Ann Lighthouse."

Milner was arrested December 28 on complaint of Joseph P. Schwab of No. 281 Burnside avenue, and was assigned in the Morrisania police court before Magistrate House, Schwab charged Milner with having attacked him. Milner claimed that he was separated from his wife and that several of his friends informed him that she was going out in company with Schwab.

He said he was employed as a waiter in an inn at Clason Point, and a few nights previous to his attack upon Schwab, the latter came there accompanied by Mrs. Milner, and that they deliberately selected the table he was serving for a repast. Their first order was a bottle of wine, and he declared that, fearing to lose his employment, he stood at their back ready to do their bidding throughout the meal.

One week ago his wife was taken ill, suffering from an attack of appendicitis. She was operated on at the Red Cross Hospital, at Central Park, West and 100th street, and died last Tuesday in this way.

Miss McCusker, a probation officer who has been interested in the troubles between the Milners, is making an effort to induce Magistrate House to arrange for Milner's release.

### MISS ELLEN T. REED SUITABLY REMEMBERED

Miss Ellen T. Reed, who has been appointed stenographer and assistant to the secretary of the Board of School Trustees, covered her connections with the firm of Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., on Saturday, to assume the duties of her new position.

For the past few months, she has been serving as a stenographer for the firm of Emerson & Fisher for some time, and on leaving she was suitably remembered by the staff and also by the members of the board. The firm presented her with an address and a travelling bag and a silver-mounted travelling toilet set. The address, which was read by T. A. Graham, was signed by the heads of the various departments.

R. B. Emerson then in behalf of the firm, presented Miss Reed with \$20 in gold and in making the presentation he expressed his regret at her leaving the firm, but wished her every success in her new position. Miss Reed made a suitable reply.

### BUSINESS MEN FORM AN EARLY RISING CLUB.

Middleton, N. Y., Merchants to Head Poor Richard's Advice.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Jan. 8.—A dozen of the most prominent business men of Middleton have just organized a club which has for its object early rising. The club has taken the motto, "Early to bed and early to rise, makes one healthy, wealthy and wise."

Members pledge themselves to rise every morning at 6 o'clock and to leave their clubs for home not later than 10 o'clock at night, and there are severe penalties for violation of the club rules.

Each member is supposed to report at police headquarters at 7 o'clock in the morning. One of the penalties for violation of the early rising rule is to shovel the snow off the president's sidewalk.

The annual meeting of Chambers Lodge, Royal Guelphs, will be held this evening in the Orange Hall, German Street. The election of officers will be held and reports will be submitted.

### FALSE ALARM IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

North End Firemen Have Unique Experience—Bad Blaze in Main Street House.

The North End fire department had a peculiar time of it Saturday evening and yesterday in the attendance of one fire, and a response to an alarm which proved a false one.

A false alarm in broad daylight was rung between eleven o'clock and twelve, and the horses were given a trying tear of Rockwood road over the most treacherous kind of streets. The jokers' getaway was complete, nothing having yet been learned of its identity. Although the box is located opposite a row of houses. It is unlikely that the thing was done by a youngster who did not realize the result of his act, for such a child would hardly have disappeared whatever the circumstances. Something new has been introduced into the experience of the fire department.

The chemical engine from No. 1 Ladder House found three hours' work over an elusive fire in James Elliot's house, 243 Main street, to which two visits were made. Before the fire had the glow taken out of it the firemen were compelled to cut through the floors and ceiling, and to tear up the tiled fireplace, causing damage to the extent of \$300.

Both alarms were "still" because of the illness of Mrs. Elliott. The first came between ten o'clock and eleven. Smoke was then apparent, but the source could not be located. The second was sent in between eleven and twelve o'clock, and the firemen worked from then until two o'clock Sunday morning. A big beam beneath a register area, where the flooring and tiling had been torn up, and a new ceiling made necessary.

### Everyone Thought She Was Going Into Consumption.

Gained Ten Pounds in Two Weeks by the Use of Burdock Blood Bitters.

Mrs. Fred. Riggs, Kingston, Ont., writes:—"I was completely run down, my blood was out of order, and I used to get so weak I would be compelled to stay in bed for weeks at a time. I could not eat, was pale and thin; every one thought I was going into consumption. I tried everything and different doctors until a friend advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters. I had not one bottle when my appetite began to improve. I used six bottles. I gained ten pounds in two weeks. When I began to take it I only weighed ninety-three pounds. It just seemed to pull me from the grave as I never expected to be strong again. It will tell every sufferer of your wonderful medicine."

The blood reaches every portion of the body to distribute nutrient and remove effete matter and waste products. Clearly, then, any influence, good or bad, affecting the blood, must necessarily affect as the entire system for good or evil as the case may be.

Get pure blood and keep it pure by removing every trace of impure morbid matter from the system by using Burdock Blood Bitters. It exerts a curative influence unapproached by any other remedy.

For sale by all dealers. Manufactured by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### HARD TO TELL.

Mrs. Stile—It'd like to see your baby, Mrs. Chase—Yes, it's here in the park with these others.

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### INVASION BY GERMANY

THE ONLY ISSUE NOW

War Scare Started by Northcliffe Drives Other Issues Out

Should the Unionists Win They Will Have to Thank Daily Mail—Opposes Arthur Balfour.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Should the Unionists win in the general election, for which the writ will be issued immediately after the dissolution of Parliament by royal proclamation on Monday, it will be with the thanks to one man.

This man is Lord Northcliffe. During the past week there has been a remarkable change in the Unionist front, a realignment of their forces. Northcliffe is no longer in the forefront of their battle line, and their heaviest artillery is trained no longer on the opinions of Lloyd-George's Budget. The House of Lords is not the House of Commons, as it was some months ago. The Unionist speaker for Ireland never gave that question the importance of Quatuorviri.

It was argued with a keen perception of fact that the victory was far from certain, and the Unionist front, which was in the hands of the enemy, was the advance of Blucher's Prussians that won the day at Waterloo. If anything will win the present fight for the Unionists, it will be the dread of German invasion.

At present the Unionist front is in the hands of the Liberal front, the advantage remained with the Liberal front. Northcliffe called the tune, to which A. J. Balfour and a host of lesser politicians have been piping all the week. The Socialist-Blochford's articles on the German peril, which were given with the tremendous publicity of the Daily Mail, and then spread broadcast in pamphlet form, supplied the base from which the new attack upon the Liberals is directed. It has been a very effective one. Every Unionist paper in England was found to follow the lead by the Daily Mail, and the London Times and every other paper in the country followed. The Liberal front was in the hands of the Liberal front.

With the patriotic demand for a greater navy thrown in to the Unionist scales, the balance of the Parliamentary parties has been entirely upset is still doubted by a majority of observers, but there is no question that the injection of Germanophobia into the electoral campaign was an excellent political move and has dwarfed all other issues.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—A. J. Balfour, the leader of the opposition in the Commons, will, after all, not enter the House of Commons in the contest for the Parliamentary seat of the Liberals, but the Liberal party considered that it might adversely influence their prospects if both Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain were returned unopposed.

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LONDON, Jan. 8.—One week from today the halting will begin in the battle between Gladstone's home rule policy split up the old parties in the eighties. Twelve London and fifty-two provincial constituencies will go to the polls next Saturday, large numbers of Monday and Tuesday. At the present moment the Liberals have the lead, but the Liberal party considered that it might adversely influence their prospects if both Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain were returned unopposed.

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### KEPT HER BODY TO RAISE FROM DEAD

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### MISSOURI PETE'S NAP

Took It In Hilda Spang's Dressing Room and She Raised a Commotion.

(New York Sun.)

Francis Cronin, known to the hoboes as Missouri Pete, the tramp poet, was sent to the workhouse for six months yesterday. Cronin had the audacity to intrude into a dressing room in Little Spang's Theatre, occupied by Hilda Spang, who is playing in "A Little Brother of the Rich."

Cronin explained to Magistrate Kernachon that it was slippery and cold outside on Wednesday night and he was tired of falling down without some excuse since he hadn't a drink all day. On Thirty-third street near Broadway a lighted doorway seemed beckon to him and he accepted the invitation. It was a private house once and the door was the manager's that generally led to his kitchen.

Cronin was ignorant of the fact that the ladies' dressing room for the theatre. The doorman was asleep. He explained afterward that he had been wrestling with the toothache the night before and was tired. So Cronin went in with no intention of doing anything but the door of Miss Spang's room. Light glinted under the door and he knocked. The knock was not answered and he opened the door. All the luxury of a star's dressing room greeted him and Cronin promptly lay down on the couch behind a screen and fell asleep.

After the second act Miss Spang went to her room to dress for the third. She did not notice Pete. There she heard snoring and at first thought they came from her dog. But the dog had been left at home because of the

# CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

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Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, writes: "I have used your medicine for my little boy for several years. It has done for him what I have done for my children. He says: 'It has not only saved me once but many a time since.' Two weeks ago my boy had a cold and a cough. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its prompt cures of coughs, colic and croup. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse an attack of croup may be averted. This medicine is entirely free from narcotics or injurious substances of any kind and may be given to the little ones with absolute safety."

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.

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Important Change in Service	
WEST OF MONTREAL	
Train No. 1 After Dec 31st will run between Winnipeg and Calgary only.	
Train No. 2 Will leave Vancouver Dec 31st. Thereafter this Train will run between Calgary and Winnipeg only until about March 1st.	
W. R. HOWARD, D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.	

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Synopsis of Canadian North-west Land Regulations

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may purchase a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—\$16 months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homesteading entry, including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate 24 1/2 acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 24 1/2 acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

W. M. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will be punished.

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Table with columns for various commodities like Amalgamated, Am. Locomotive, Am. Sugar, etc., and their respective prices.

Table for NEW YORK COTTON MARKET with columns for Jan., Mar., May, July, Oct., Dec., Spot, and prices.

Table for CHICAGO MARKET with columns for Wheat, Corn, Oats, and prices.

Table for J. M. ROBINSON & SONS with columns for Rubber, Canadian Converters, Pennam, etc., and prices.

Table for SUGAR EMPLOYEES with columns for Montreal Morning Star, Bell Telephone, etc., and prices.

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DRUNK, IN A SNOWBANK, NEARLY FROZEN TO DEATH

Band of Visiting Sailors were the Recipients of Justice in Police Court Today.

There were a half-dozen drunks on the prisoner's bench this morning. With the exception of one, they were visiting seamen.

ROBERT THOMSON'S HORSE HAD A LONESOME RUN

Ran Away, Upsetting Occupants of Sleigh, and was Not Caught Till it Reached Rothesay.

There was considerable excitement on Coburg and Charlotte streets this morning about 11:45 o'clock, when Robert Thomson's horse ran away.

THREE KILLED, ONE HURT, IN LOUISIANA WRECK

Woman Champion Pistol Shot Turns Weapon on Herself—Nervous Trouble the Cause.

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 10.—Three persons were killed and one was injured last night in a collision in the Texas and Pacific freight yards between a Kansas Southern switch engine and a westbound Texas and Pacific passenger train.

WOMEN WHO SUFFER

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Give Regularity and Good Health

Every woman at some time needs a tonic. At special times unusual demands are made upon her strength.

FORMER BROADWAY FOOL IS DEAD IN CHICAGO

Young Moore, who Made a Show of His Money, Dies of Heart Failure While Working on a Railway.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Nathaniel Forster, a former Broadway fool, died of heart failure in Chicago yesterday.

SNEAD DISAPPEARS FROM ST. CATHARINES

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Jan. 10.—Fletcher W. Snead, the husband of Cecy Snead, the New Jersey "match boy" victim, who was discovered in this city some weeks ago, cannot be found.

TRACING ORIGIN OF AMERICAN RACES

Ultimate Object of Institute of Archaeology Says Dr. Hewitt—Speaks Tonight

Tracing—No. 1. That the origin and the connected history of the people of the American continent will some day be definitely known and recorded is the opinion of Dr. Edgar L. Hewitt, who arrived in St. John last night.

MINISTERS SYMPATHIZE WITH REV. DR. ROGERS

The Methodist ministers of the city met this morning in the parlors of Centenary Methodist Church.

LATE SHIPPING

Entered Today. Schr. A. B. Bartheaux, 285, Bartheaux, Kingsport for Havana.

HUSKY YOUNGSTERS

Who will some day hold positions of responsibility require right food for the development of body and brain

GRAPE-NUTS

made of wheat and barley, contains the phosphate of potash grown in the cereals for building sturdy tissue cells—especially those of the brain and nerves.

THE MEEHAN AFFINITY CASE WAS SETTLED

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 10.—On the re-assembling of the circuit court this morning the remaining case in the docket was taken up, Meehan vs. Stevenson, another affinity case.

MAHOMET'S SANCTUARY AT MECCA FLOODED

Severe Earthquake Shock Causes a Panic in Calabria.

HOUSE WANTED.

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CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS

Assessment System, Fraternal Insurance. NIGHT OF MEETINGS CITY COURTS

COURT ST. JOHN, No. 40—Friday in month. COURT UNION JACK, No. 64—Orange Hall, Gormley, 4th Wednesday.

COURT NORTH END, No. 56—Union Hall, Main street, last Tuesday each month. COURT YUKON, No. 73—Orange Hall, Simonds street, third Wednesday.

COURT HIAWATHA, No. 73—Temperance Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday. Offices of the order, PALMER'S CHAMBERS, 64 Princess Street, R. W. WIGMORE, District Deputy, D. B. KENNEDY, District Organizer.

Chinese Restaurant, 75 CHERMAIN STREET.

Before starting for the hunting grounds call and have your basket filled in Chinese style. Chop Suey and all kinds of Chinese dishes served at the shortest notice. Meals 25c. Ham Lee and James Hunter, props. Open from 8.30 a.m. to 2 a.m.

RECORDING SECRETARY—E. Taylor. Corresponding Secretary—J. W. Eastwood.

Meetings will be held in the same building on the first and third Mondays in each month. At the close of the meeting an interesting discussion took place on the future of the Socialist party in the Dominion. Mr. Taylor will give an address at the next meeting.

WAIVER OF THE HOME OF A SISTER

Friend in Bangor, Walter Bolton of Maryville died suddenly. Deceased was master mechanic in the Glasgow cotton mill and left Maryville on Friday apparently in good health. He was 53 years of age and is survived by a wife, three daughters and a son, who reside in the States.

Fire alarm box has been shifted from Waterloo Street Baptist Church and in the future will be box 54. Alarm 21 has been placed in the firm of Manchester, Robertson and Allison. A test of these boxes will be made at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

Have that neat appearance by having your clothes cleaned, repaired and pressed at McFarland, the Tailor, Clifton Block, 72 Princess Street, Phone 1613-11.

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SOCIALISTS ORGANIZE

At a meeting yesterday afternoon in McLean's building, Union street, a local of the Socialist Party of Canada was formed. The following officers were elected: Temporary Chairman—J. W. Eastwood. Vice Chairman—B. Bodouff. Financial Secretary—M. Deakin. Treasurer—H. Jacobson.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1910.

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#### REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS

many of them marked at less than half price.

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An extra heavy Blanket Cloth with a smooth close finish \$1. and \$1.10 a yard navy blue, scarlet, cardinal and gray.

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Our January Sale of 20th Century Brand and other makes of Overcoats means just this:

You can buy, here and now, an Overcoat that will meet exacting requirements in EVERY way, at a saving of 20 per cent.

Judge for yourself:

\$12. Overcoats Now	..... \$9.60
\$15. Overcoats Now	..... \$12.00
\$18. Overcoats Now	..... \$14.40
\$20. Overcoats Now	..... \$16.00
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### Gilmour's, 68 King St.

Tailoring and Clothing.  
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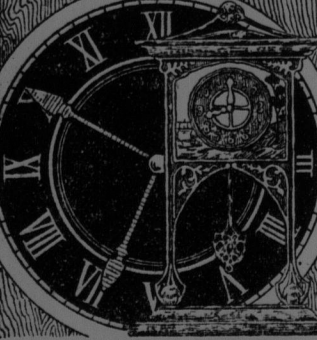
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For your own needs or one to present to a friend, we would respectfully suggest that you look over our assortment of time-pieces. We have used the utmost care, aided by judgment gained through years of experience, in the jewelry business, in selecting every watch or article of jewelry in our establishment, and we claim that for style, quality and price articles purchased here cannot be duplicated.

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14 Mill Street.  
Phone 21, 1307.

#### THE WEATHER

Maritime—Strong winds and gales, northeast to northwest, local snow. Tuesday, fair and decidedly cold.

#### LOCAL NEWS

Two overcoats for the price of one is exactly what Pidgeon's January sale offers you. Better get next to bargains like these.

The mechanic's case of Hamilton vs. Seymour (over) and White-neck (contractor) was resumed before Judge Forbes in County Court Chambers this morning. The case will likely occupy the remainder of the day. A. B. Bustin and A. Wilson, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff, and O. H. V. Belyea for Seymour.

The case of Miles Bros. vs. Adam H. Bell will be continued in the Circuit Court this afternoon at half-past two, before Mr. Justice Barry and a jury. The case will likely go to the jury late this afternoon. Frederick R. Taylor and C. P. Inches appear for the plaintiff and W. B. Wallace, K. C., and J. King Kelley for defendant.

The funeral of the late Philip Hayes took place this morning at 10 o'clock from his sister's residence, 40 Brook street. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church, where Rev. F. Holland celebrated regular high mass at 9 o'clock. Interment was in Sand Cove cemetery.

The Montreal Y. M. C. A. basketball team will visit St. John and play the Algonquins on Wednesday evening in the Algonquin's rooms, Metcalfe street. Among the players are MacBeth, once associated with the U. N. B. team, and McWilliams, one of the best players in New Brunswick.

Probate court—Estates of Thomas Chuman, private coachman. Return of citation to pass the accounts of Edward Sears, postmaster, the sole executor. The accounts as presented are found satisfactory and are duly passed and allowed and order for distribution made. Mr. E. G. Kaye, K. C., proctor for the executor, Mr. Edmund S. Ritchie, proctor for Michael Chuman, caretaker of the Mount Pleasant convent, the sole beneficiary under the will, and father of the deceased.

Last Friday night a delightful party left Policeman James Gosselin's home, West Side, and drove to his daughter's, Mrs. Thos. I. Parker's, at Lock Lomond, and celebrated Mrs. Parker's birthday. About 40 of her friends were present and she was presented with a set of tea dishes. A very pleasant time in games and dancing was enjoyed.

His honor Mr. Justice McLeod in supreme court chambers this morning made an order winding up the Phillips, White Candy Co., Limited. On Wednesday last Mr. W. H. Harrison, acting for the Gannon Bros., Limited, made application to have the company wound up, and his honor appointed Mr. W. S. Claverson provisional liquidator. On Thursday, the twentieth instant, his honor will liquidator, Mr. W. H. Harrison appeared for the petitioning creditor, Mr. A. H. Hamilton and J. H. Lee, Fairweather for creditors and Mr. H. H. Pickett for the liquidator.

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#### THE WEATHER

Maritime—Strong winds and gales, northeast to northwest, local snow. Tuesday, fair and decidedly cold.

#### LOCAL NEWS

Two overcoats for the price of one is exactly what Pidgeon's January sale offers you. Better get next to bargains like these.

The mechanic's case of Hamilton vs. Seymour (over) and White-neck (contractor) was resumed before Judge Forbes in County Court Chambers this morning. The case will likely occupy the remainder of the day. A. B. Bustin and A. Wilson, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff, and O. H. V. Belyea for Seymour.

The case of Miles Bros. vs. Adam H. Bell will be continued in the Circuit Court this afternoon at half-past two, before Mr. Justice Barry and a jury. The case will likely go to the jury late this afternoon. Frederick R. Taylor and C. P. Inches appear for the plaintiff and W. B. Wallace, K. C., and J. King Kelley for defendant.

The funeral of the late Philip Hayes took place this morning at 10 o'clock from his sister's residence, 40 Brook street. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church, where Rev. F. Holland celebrated regular high mass at 9 o'clock. Interment was in Sand Cove cemetery.

The Montreal Y. M. C. A. basketball team will visit St. John and play the Algonquins on Wednesday evening in the Algonquin's rooms, Metcalfe street. Among the players are MacBeth, once associated with the U. N. B. team, and McWilliams, one of the best players in New Brunswick.

Probate court—Estates of Thomas Chuman, private coachman. Return of citation to pass the accounts of Edward Sears, postmaster, the sole executor. The accounts as presented are found satisfactory and are duly passed and allowed and order for distribution made. Mr. E. G. Kaye, K. C., proctor for the executor, Mr. Edmund S. Ritchie, proctor for Michael Chuman, caretaker of the Mount Pleasant convent, the sole beneficiary under the will, and father of the deceased.

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#### BAPTISTS HOPE TO RAISE \$12,000 FOR MISSIONS

United Meeting to be Held on Jan. 20th—Reports on the Week of Prayer Received Today.

The Baptist ministers of the city met this morning with a delegation representing the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Rev. Wellington Camp presided and other present were: Revs. E. M. Fletcher, Dr. Helm, W. R. Robinson, H. B. Nobles, C. W. Townsend, P. W. Wentworth, D. Hutchinson, G. D. Milberry and P. E. Bishop. Reports from the different groups of churches in connection with the week of prayer services were submitted. The services were quite successful. The congregation are showing keen interest in the coming evangelistic campaign.

A meeting of the ten Baptist churches of the city in the interests of the Laymen's Missionary Movement was arranged for January 20th in the Leinster Street Church. A special song service will be held and addresses will be delivered by three missionary workers. Last year the Baptist churches contributed \$4,315.00 for missionary purposes. It is the aim to raise \$12,000 during the present year.

#### SAFETY BOARD WILL NEED \$10,000 MORE

Increased Salaries and New Station Will I Cost Estimates—Council Will Discuss Pavement Problem.

The general committee of the Common Council meets at eight o'clock tomorrow evening to take up the subject of permanent pavements, which was referred to it at the last meeting of the Common Council.

The meeting of the council to pass on the estimates for the coming year has been called for Friday as the time limit is up on Saturday.

The estimates for the coming year for the year are expected to cause the tax rate to go up considerably higher than last year. In this connection Ald. Vanwart said this morning that the estimates of the Safety Board alone would probably be at least \$10,000 greater than last year. The increased salaries granted and the cost of the new fire station to be erected at West St. John will account for most of this amount.

The Board of Works will also have to face a heavily increased expenditure if the plan for permanent pavements is adopted by the Common Council.

#### M. P. A. A. WHITEWASH FOR HOCKEY PLAYERS

President and Secretary Will Not Touch Anything That Was Winked at by the Old Executive.

In reply to an enquiry from the Star this morning as to probable action in the hockey situation following the revelation that the Executive Committee of the M. P. A. A. wired from Charlottetown for the appearance of the Fredericton hockey situation has not been brought to our notice officially. It is three years old, however, and is not likely to be considered by us. We will eliminate ancient history, and are determined to strictly enforce the rules regarding amateur sport, and prompt suspension will follow any violation of such rules this winter.

"We will deal with matters originating since our appointment, but not with cases which our predecessors declined to consider and left over for us."

#### A SOLEMN TRIDUUM IN ST. PETERS CHURCH

Announcement was made in St. Peter's Church yesterday that a solemn Triduum would take place, starting on Tuesday evening. Special services will take place in honor of St. Clement Hofbauer. The services will be the first of their kind held in the church and great interest is being shown by the members of the congregation.

Rev. Lawrence Young, C. S. R., a distinguished Redemptorist of St. Patrick's Church, Toronto, will be chief preacher at the Triduum. The services will close on Sunday with solemn high mass, after which the papal blessing will be given. In the evening there will be a grand reunion of the Holy Family members. Rev. Dr. Young will again be the preacher.

#### TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS

St. John Typographical Union No. 85, at a meeting in their rooms, Berryman's Hall, on Saturday evening, elected the following officers for the year:

Robert W. McKinney, President; D. Thompson, Vice President; H. T. Campbell, Financial Secretary; F. Stanton, Recording Secretary; Robert Kennedy, Treasurer; John McManus, Sergeant-at-Arms; George McCaffery, John Thompson, John Longon, Edward Coates, Executive Committee; George Maxwell, W. D. Eastington, John Longon, Trustees; Alphonse Keller, Fred Fisher, Lutz H. W. Stubbs, I. T. U. Audit Committee.

Addresses were made by the retiring President James Russell, and President McKinney.

#### PERSONAL

R. E. Coups came in on the Boston train this morning.

Miss Ona Barber returned to the city on the Boston train at noon.

Miss Jean Sully came in on the Montreal express today.

Judge Berry arrived in the city at noon today.

Stanley Bridges returned from Fredericton on the noon train.

Miss Ona Barber reached the city at noon today on the Montreal express.

W. F. Todd, M. P., and wife, Miss Mildred Todd and Mrs. N. H. Mills of St. Stephen left at the Royal

#### FURNISH LNER PICKED UP DESPAIRING MEN

Rescued Eight Fishermen Off Newfoundland Coast—Had a Very Rough Trip Across.

Furness liner Rappahannock docked at the Intercolonial pier early this morning from London via Halifax. The steamer rescued eight fishermen off the Nova Scotia coast and landed them at Halifax. Captain Buckington reports that the Rappahannock had a very rough trip across. Head winds and heavy storms tended to delay the passage of the steamer. In the midst of Tuesday's gale, when the thermometer hovered about the zero mark, the captain noticed a small fishing craft in distress. The Rappahannock took the men aboard. The craft was the Trilly, in command of Captain Bourdon. The crew had a terrible experience and but for the appearance of the Rappahannock would have surely been lost.

The steamer left London on December 21st. Both Christmas Day and New Year's were spent at sea. A large crew were at work this morning discharging the steamer.

No nine stevedores presented a busy appearance today. The Pomeranian is in port at the opposite side of the pier. This week will be a quiet one in incoming traffic. The next passenger boat will be the Allan liner Tunstall, which will reach port on Friday or Saturday.

The Empress of Britain will sail from No. three berth at Sand Point on Friday.

Ald. Vanwart and a party of three friends had a most enjoyable trip yesterday, going up to Evansville. They report that the travelling could not be better, and on the return trip they covered twenty-nine miles in two hours and forty minutes.


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WHITE UNION BLANKETS, 68 by 88 inches, splendid qualities, pale pink or blue borders. Sale Price, per pair .....	\$3.75
WHITE UNION BLANKETS of our very best grade. Soft and unshrinkable, 66 by 80 inches. Attractive pink or blue borders. Sale Price, per pair .....	\$4.00

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WHITE ALL-WOOL BLANKETS, extra fine qualities, very pretty stripe borders in blue or pink. Unshrinkable, double bed sizes. Sale Price, per pair .....	\$4.50
WHITE ALL-WOOL BLANKETS, excellent qualities, blue or pink stripe borders, unshrinkable, extra large sizes. Sale Price, per pair ..	\$5.00

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